SENATE BILL 1195

By Lundberg

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 29, Chapter 13, Part 1, relative to criminal injuries compensation.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 29-13-115, is amended by deleting the section and substituting instead:

A person who knowingly asserts a false claim under this chapter commits a Class C misdemeanor, and may be subject to the False Claims Act, compiled in title 4, chapter 18, part 1. Upon conviction thereof, the person shall forfeit any payments received, and reimburse the state for payments received or paid on the person's behalf pursuant to this chapter.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.